

Cell Groups at Penshurst Anglican Church

Our church calls itself a 'cell church', built upon the Biblical idea that the primary way that God's people can truly live out the Gospel is through small, intentional communities (called 'cells'). It is here where Jesus is given a far more intimate opportunity to do His work of transformation.

English-Speaking Cell Groups/	Day/time/frequency
Bart & Kim VandenHengel	Tuesday/ 7:30pm/weekly
Gaye Bishop	Tuesday/ 7:30pm/ fortnightly
Meryllyn Mayhew	Tuesday / 7:30pm/ weekly
Megan & Jeff Powys	Thursday/ 7:30pm/ weekly
ReCharge! (University+ group)	Wednesday/ 8:00pm/ weekly
PAC Youth Group	Friday/ 7:30-9:30 pm/ weekly
'The Quiet Place' prayer meeting	Sunday/7pm/weekly

If you are interested in joining one of these cells, you can either talk directly to one of the group leaders or to Bart for more guidance on which cell will fit you best. You may even want to start your own!

Sunday School:

Our Sunday School program runs during the 10:30am services, and only during school term. There are four classes available, based roughly on a child's age:

- Ages 3-5 Coordinators: Selina Kwok (in upper hall classroom 1)
- Ages 6-7 Coordinator: Hua (Nancy) Feng (in basement of hall)
- Ages 8-10 Coordinator: Bart VandenHengel (in library)
- Years 11-12+ Coordinator: George Chan (in upper hall classroom 2)



Penshurst Anglican Church

2 Carrington St, Penshurst, NSW 2222

Pastors: Bart VandenHengel (English speaking congregations)
Aisen Ju (Mandarin speaking congregations)

Sunday Services: (8am) Prayer Book Service w/ Holy Communion
(10:30am) Bi-lingual Celebration service in English and Mandarin
(6pm) Bi-lingual Celebration service in English and Mandarin

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We welcome you to our celebrations this morning! If you are a visitor here today, we pray that the Triune God of grace will richly meet you where you are, in the fellowship of His people here at PAC. We also invite you to make yourself known to us through the visitor forms found in the pew holders.

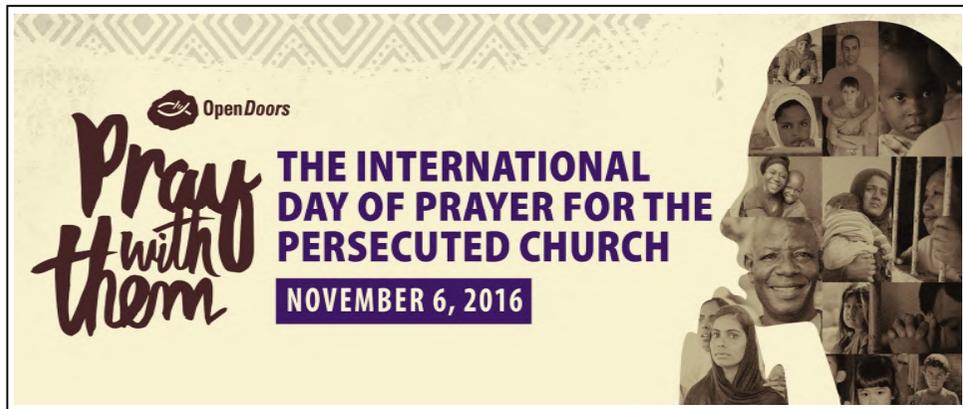


Sunday, 30 October, 2016

Could we also fail? Examining the parallels between ancient Israel and today's Church.

Throughout our *Missions Month*, we will be looking at the various ways in which ancient Israel failed to be a missionary people. We will be asking ourselves whether today's church also risks failing in similar ways.

Nov. 6	Failure to be willing to suffer	Lamentations 3:19-33 Matthew 5:11-12
Nov. 13	Failure to be generous	Malachi 3:1-12 Matthew 23:23-24
Nov. 20	(Church Camp)	



Church Camp Forms are at the back of the church.

The camp will be held from Friday to Sunday, Nov. 18-20.

You must register by TODAY!

Date	Welcome	Music Team	Prayer	Bible Reader	Counters
Nov-06	Millie, Naomi	Team 3- Rueves & Kat, Gordon, Josh, Sarah, Zoey, Karen, Amy	Holy Communion	Millie	Marilyn, Geoff
Nov-13	Merilyn, Margaret	Team 4- Brian, Gordon, Andrew, Michael, Hua, Catherine, Nancy Lee, Tina			Geoff, Doris
Nov-20		(Church camp— no 10:30am service)			

Oct 16 to Nov 13	Missions Month Speakers: Oct 16– David Lakos; Oct 23– Elizabeth McDougall; Oct 30– Michael Duckett; Nov 6– Open Doors; Nov. 13– the Friends
Mon., November 7	Parish Council (7:30pm)
Nov. 18-20	Church camp at Telford Lodge in the Royal National Park
Sun., Nov. 27	National Church Life Survey (all services)

Pray for Iraq

Pray for the crisis in Iraq

(*Psalm 61:1-3* ¹ Hear my cry, O God; listen to my prayer. ² From the ends of the earth I call to you, I call as my heart grows faint; lead me to the rock that is higher than I. ³ For you have been my refuge, a strong tower against the foe.)

- Pray for an end to the violence.
- Pray that there will be enough food, water and medical help.
- Pray for protection of children, that they would grow up knowing hope in Christ.
- Pray for women who have been sexually abused or sold by ISIS fighters.
- Pray that, through this crisis, many lost people would be saved through Christ.

Pray for Iraq's leaders and the International community

(*1 Timothy 2:1-2* "I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people— ² for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness.")

- Pray for wisdom for decision makers in Iraq and the international community
- Pray for strength and wisdom for church leaders and pastors.
- Pray for the governments of neighbouring countries as they seek to care for 3.4 million Internally Displaced People (IDP).
- Pray for Christians around the world to join the spiritual battle in praying for the persecuted church.
- Pray for the work of Open Doors as it brings aid to Iraqi Christians.

Pray for the future of the Church in Iraq

(*Romans 8:28-39* ³⁸ For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons,^[L] neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, ³⁹ neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.)

- Pray for God to build his church in Iraq. This war has driven many Christians out of the country, but many have chosen to stay.
- Praise God for the churches, monasteries and communities helping displaced people and refugees.
- Praise God for many the opportunities to show the love of Christ to Muslims.
- Pray for Christians living in areas under constant threat from ISIS to feel God's peace
- Pray for Christians who have been displaced for several years to continue hoping in Christ, though their future is unknown.